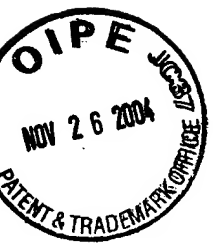


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Sir:

In response to the official Office Action dated October 25, 2004
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